

BEFORE THE
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES
PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 288 (MC2017-79)
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. CP2017-106

**USPS NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO
PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 288, FILED UNDER SEAL**
(August 1, 2018)

The Postal Service hereby provides notice that the terms of Priority Mail Contract 288, in the above-captioned proceeding, have changed as contemplated by the contract's terms. A redacted version of the amendment to Priority Mail Contract 288 is provided in Attachment A, and the unredacted amendment is being filed under seal. The amendment will become effective two business days following the day that the Commission completes its review of this filing.

This amendment will not materially affect the cost coverage of Priority Mail Contract 288. Therefore, the supporting financial documentation and financial certification initially filed in this docket remain applicable. The Postal Service hereby incorporates by reference the Application for Non-Public Treatment originally filed in this docket, for the protection of the customer-identifying information that has been filed under seal.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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ATTACHMENT A TO REQUEST

REDACTED AMENDMENT TO PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 288

AMENDMENT #1
OF
SHIPPING SERVICES CONTRACT
BETWEEN
THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
AND
REGARDING
PRIORITY MAIL SERVICE

WHEREAS, the United States Postal Service (the "Postal Service") and [REDACTED] ("Customer") entered into a Shipping Services Contract, Priority Mail Contract 288/Docket No. CP2017-106 regarding Priority Mail Service on December 19, 2016.

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the terms in Sections I.C. and I.E. of the Contract, and to add Section I.I.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree that the Contract is hereby amended as detailed below. The existing Contract remains unchanged in all other respects. This amendment shall become effective two (2) business days following the day on which the Commission issues all necessary regulatory approval.

[Replace Sections I.C. and I.E., and to add Section I.I., as follows.]

I. Terms

- C. Customer will manifest Contract Packages as specified by the Postal Service, using a separate permit number and/or PC Postage account to ship such packages, and will use the Electronic Verification System ("eVS"), other USPS approved manifest systems, or USPS approved PC Postage vendors for payment of such packages. Customer shall provide the Postal Service, in writing, a list of its permit numbers and/or PC Postage accounts for approval. Contract pricing for any newly approved permits and/or PC Postage accounts will be effective within fifteen (15) business days after the Postal Service receives written notification from Customer. Only Contract Packages plus all other Priority Mail packages ("Total Packages") shipped from authorized permits and/or PC Postage accounts shall count toward the volume commitment expressed in Section I.E.
- E. Volume Commitment. Customer should ship at least [REDACTED] Total Packages annually. If the volume falls below the annual volume commitment for any Contract Year, the Postal Service in its sole discretion has the right to revert Customer to the most current Priority Mail Commercial Plus prices.

- I. Record Keeping and Audit. Customer shall respond to the Postal Service's or its designated auditor's quarterly and/or yearly transaction confirmations related to Postal Service transactions; and such other assistance as required by the Postal Service or its designated auditors in connection with Customer's performance under this Contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this amendment to be duly executed as of the later date below:

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

Signed by: _____

Dennis R. Nicoski

Printed Name: Dennis Nicoski

Title: Senior Vice President, Sales and Customer Relations

Date: _____

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